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Atty. Docket No. 15211

PATENT APPLICATIONIN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| In re Application of: |) | |
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| Anthony J. LAMELA, ET AL. |) | Examiner: Daniel S. Yeagley |
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| Appln. No. 10/743,960 |) | Art Unit: 3611 |
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| Filing Date: December 22, 2003 |) | Confirm. No.: 9369 |
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| Title: SKID STEER VEHICLE WITH |) | November 8, 2004 |
| STEERABLE Laterally | : | |
| EXTENDING SUSPENSIONS |) | |

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 7, 2004, Applicants request a two-month extension of time and consideration of this Amendment, in which:

The section entitled, "Changes to the Claims" begins on page 2; and

The section entitled, "Remarks" begins on page 6.